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CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-

named vessel are requested to send in

their Bills of Lading to the Under-

signed for counter-signature, and take

delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impounding the vessel will

be landed and stored at Consignee's

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HILMAN & Co.

Hongkong, October 11, 1869.

From the 1st October week.

THE English Residence situated above

Rocky Road, recently in the com-

pany of Mr. J. J. Walker, and

now in the possession of Mr. J. J. Walker,

is for sale at a low price.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

Hongkong, October 8, 1869.

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ON

WEDNESDAY,

the 30th day of October, at 12 o'clock,

On Board,

The British Bark

"RIZOT FISH."

310 tons register, built by Messrs. HALL

& FOSB, Aberdeen, as the "RIZOT FISH."

For particulars apply to the Under-

signed.

TERMS OF SALE.—One half of the pur-

chase money to be paid on the fall of the

hammer, and the balance on the transfer

of the vessel, in Mexican Dollars at 7.17.

The vessel to be at purchaser's risk

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of transfer to be paid by the purchaser.

J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctioneer.

Hongkong, October 8, 1869.

THE Underigned has received in-

structions to sell by Public Auction,

ON

FRIDAY,

the 15th October, at Noon,

the property of a Gentleman retiring from

Hongkong.

The whole of the Household FUR-

NITURE, comprising:

Two Covered Chairs and Couches,

Tables, Washstands, Bedsteads, and

Glassware, Electro Plated Ware, Li-

quor Stand, a handsome Pier Glass,

and a few fine Engravings, Japanese and

China Vases, Carpets, Washstands,

and Toilet Tables, Bedstead, Gas Chan-

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110 jars Vinegar.

31 packages Wood-ware.
20 bales Orange Peel.
11 cases Silk & Ice Goods.
31 cases Souff.
19 cases Shoes.
18 cases Starch.
10 cases Vermilion.
19 cases Tea Stalk.
10 bales Hemp.
10 cases Indigo.
27 packages Lacquered-ware.
20 cases Longana.
19 Dressing Cases.
36 pieces Furniture.
10 baskets Green Ginger.
360 packages Sundries.

POST OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.
MAILS WILL CLOSE:-
FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

Per **GLENARTNEY**, on Wednesday, the 20th Instant, at 1 p.m.
or **SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CAYENNE**.
CUTTA.
Per **ARRATOON APCAR**, on Wednesday, the 20th Instant, at 1.30 p.m.
or **SWATOW, AMOY, & SHANGHAI**.
Per **GANGES**, at 10.30 a.m., on Friday, the 15th Instant.
or **AMOY**.
Per **PRIM**, on Friday, the 15th Instant.

at 11.30 A.M., instead of at the time previously notified.

It is hereby notified, by order of His Excellency Sir Richard Graves MacDonnell, that henceforward, the rates of Postage chargeable on Packets of Printed Matter, of all descriptions of light weight sent from Hongkong to the United Kingdom and elsewhere, will be as follows:

For a Packet not exceeding one ounce in weight.....	2 cents
For a Packet above one ounce and not exceeding two ounces.....	4 cents
For a Packet of greater weight than two ounces, or of double these rates when forwarded by Parcel Post.....	Marcelline.

are now chargeable, viz. 3 cents for every four ounces when forwarded via Southampton, and 2 cents for every four ounces when forwarded via Marseilles.

This alteration will apply to Printed Circulars, Price Lists, Market Reports and printed papers other than Newspapers, as well as to Books and Trade patterns of

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.
 General Post Office,
 Hongkong, 12th August, 1869.

It is hereby notified for general information that the Contract between the Government of Mauritius and the Union Mail-ship Company, for the Conveyance of Mail once a Month between Ceylon and Mauritius, and between Mauritius and Aden, having terminated, the correspondence for Mauritius will be forwarded from the Office in the Mail for Aden, from whence it will be sent to its destination by French Mail Packets leaving Aden for Union and Mauritius on the 23rd of each month.

and alteration has been made in the
of Postage on correspondence add-
ressed to Mauritius.

The communication between Natal and
the Cape of Good Hope is thus cut off, or
its responsibility for the Colonies, unless
it is forwarded by Private Ship,
in future, he sent in the Mail; for
London at the following rates of Postage,
must be paid in advance, viz :-

Letters sent by way
of Southampton, 40 cents each + co.
sent by way of
Marseilles, 64 " " "
dispatched via Southam-
pton, 4 " " "
papers via Marseil-
les, 8 " " "
Packets via South-
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oz., 20 cents, above, and 20 " for every additional 8 oz.; and 20 " for every additional 8 oz.; and 28 cents above for and not exceeding 8 oz.; and 28 cents for every additional 8 ounces.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.
General Post Office, Hongkong,
9th September, 1868.

UNDER DESPATCH.
for Singapore, Penang and Calcutta.—
Glenageary, on Wednesday, the 20th
instant, at 2 p.m.
for Singapore, Penang and Calcutta.—
Arratoon Apar, on Wednesday, the
instant, at 2 p.m.

for Swatwa, Amoy, and Shanghai. - Per
at 11 a.m., on Friday, the 13th in
for Amoy. - Per Primi, on Friday, the
instant, at Noon.

QUOTATIONS.

HONGKONG, 13th October 1869.

U.M. - Patna, New, ...	\$54 1/2
Old, ...	570
Benares, New, ...	522 1/2
Old, ...	522 1/2
Malwa, ...	665
Periah, ...	655, nomi
BOMBAY, ...	19 a 23 1/2
CALCUTTA, ...	18 a 22 1/2

Exchange.

6 months' sight, ... \$/6 a 6 1/2

Avalanche,	3 days' night, Ra.	4 75
Bombay, 5 days' night, Ra.	226 c 226 1/2	
Silver, 3 days' night, Bank, Tls:	76 1/2	
Silver, 17 dwt. B.,	7, nom.	
Cane,	4 80 & 5 90	
Last, 99 touch,	23 15	
Rex, 99 touch,	22 75 & 23.	
Italian Sovereigns,	4 61	
Punt,	4 49	
Company Shares,	8 & 10	
W. pos. Dock, Old,	15 p. c. dis.	
S. Bank Shares, Old,	25 prem.	
do. do. New,	14 p. c. pre.	
do. do.	50 p. c. dis.	

Temperature.

Hongkong, 12th October 1869.

n at Messrs. Laidlaw & Co.'s Premises, (Queen's Road.)	
Thermometer—9 A.M.,	Dry, . . . 81
Do.	Wet, . . . 75
Do.	4 P.M., Dry, . . . 84
Do.	Wet, . . . 77
Registered Maximum,	. . . 83
Do.	Min. over night, . . . 78
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Do.	4 P.M., . . . 79.669

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